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## GrantSource Library

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# Online Funding Resources for Faculty and Postdoctoral Scholars

## Funding Databases and Guides

### COS Funding Opportunities Database

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#cos](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#cos)

- Funding information for all disciplines of study.
- Recommended fields are keywords, citizenship, requirements, funding types, and activity location.

### InfoEd SPIN (Sponsored Programs Information Network)

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#spin](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#spin)

- SPIN includes opportunities in all disciplines. There is some overlap between COS and SPIN as well as some unique content. SPIN may have different keywords.
- Choose "Advanced Search" from the main search screen.

### Carolina Internal Funding Database

<http://cfx.research.unc.edu/funding/index.cfm>

- Internal sources of funds available from the University or University units.
- Nominated or limited awards that are funded by external sponsors but are administered by University units and have an internal application process.

### GrantsNet

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#grantsnet](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#grantsnet)

Funding in biomedical research and science education.

### New York Foundation for the Arts Source

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#arts](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#arts)

Programs that support artists working in dance, music, theater, performance art/interdisciplinary, design arts, media arts, visual arts, literary arts, folk/traditional arts, multidisciplinary, and arts-related professions.

### Foundation Center's Foundation Finder

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#finding](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#finding)

Provides basic information on private, community, and corporate foundations in the United States.

### IIEPassport: Study Abroad Funding

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#iie](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#iie)

Funding for faculty, postdoctoral scholars, and students for research and study abroad.

### NIH Guide for Grants and Contracts

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#nih](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#nih)

National Institutes of Health funding opportunities, grant policies, and guidelines.

### NSF Guide to Programs

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#nsf](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#nsf)

National Science Foundation's guide to funding programs for the current year.

### Grants.gov

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#grants](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#grants)

Funding opportunities from all federal funding agencies.

### FedBizOpps

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#fedbizopps](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#fedbizopps)

Notices of proposed government procurement and contract awards.

### Federal Register

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_databases.php#fedreg](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_databases.php#fedreg)

Publication of Congressional and other federal agency documents, including funding announcements.

### Guides for Faculty, Staff and Postdoctoral Scholars

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_guides.php#faculty](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_guides.php#faculty)

Listings of funding opportunities for many disciplines and for specific population groups.

### NC OpenBook

<http://www.ncopenbook.gov/>

North Carolina state government grant and financial assistance programs and awards made.

## ***Available for use in the GrantSource Library:***

### Environmental Grantmaking Foundations on CD-ROM

Funding for environmental activities and programs.

### Foundation Directory Online Platinum

Funding from U.S. foundations, corporate giving programs, and grantmaking public charities.

### Foundation Grants to Individuals Online

Foundations and public charities that fund students, researchers, and other individual grantseekers



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## Funding Alerts

### COS Funding Alerts

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_alerts.php#cos](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_alerts.php#cos)  
Customized funding alerts emailed once a week with new or updated relevant funding opportunities.

### InfoEd SMARTS/GENIUS Funding Alerts

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_alerts.php#spin](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_alerts.php#spin)  
Customized funding alert with funding opportunities from InfoEd SPIN funding database.

### Specialized Alert Services

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding\\_alerts.php#specialized](http://grantsource.unc.edu/funding_alerts.php#specialized)  
Many agencies and organizations have alert services: Grants.gov, Foundation Center, NIH, NSF, and others.

## Databases of Awards Made

### Federal Awards Made Databases

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/awards\\_made.php#us](http://grantsource.unc.edu/awards_made.php#us)  
Nearly every major federal agency has an awards made database: NIH, NSF, DoD, NEH, and others.

### Private and State Awards Made Databases

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/awards\\_made.php#private](http://grantsource.unc.edu/awards_made.php#private)  
Information on awards made by state government agencies and private and corporate foundations, including IRS 990 foundation tax returns.

## Recovery Act

### Recovery Act Funding Information

<http://research.unc.edu/recovery>  
Information on funding opportunities, key announcements, and other information. Also, information on state, federal, and agency resources

### Recovery Act Award Information

<http://research.unc.edu/recovery/awards>  
Information on awards made to Carolina and elsewhere under the Recovery Act.

## Research Support Newsletter

<http://research.unc.edu/rs>

A monthly newsletter providing Carolina faculty, postdoctoral scholars, and staff with research news, funding tips, and information from the offices supporting research at Carolina. The Funding Opportunities blog is updated weekly.

## Faculty Expertise Databases

### COS Expertise Database

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty\\_expertise.php#expertise](http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty_expertise.php#expertise)  
Search faculty expertise profiles and research interests for individual researchers from Carolina and other universities around the world.

### Research Abstracts Database

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty\\_expertise.php#rad](http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty_expertise.php#rad)  
Short synopses of grant applications and research proposals submitted by UNC-Chapel Hill researchers to various funding agencies via Carolina's Office of Sponsored Research.

### Research Administration Management System and eSubmission (RAMSeS)

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty\\_expertise.php#ramses](http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty_expertise.php#ramses)  
Information on research activities of Carolina researchers, including proposals (with abstracts) and awards received.

### Federal Advisory Committee Resource

[http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty\\_expertise.php#fed](http://grantsource.unc.edu/faculty_expertise.php#fed)  
Carolina faculty who are members of federal advisory committees and The National Academies.